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## A CLUB BUILDING

FOR ALL OF THE PROTESTANT CHURCHES OF THE CITY.

## FAVORABLY DISCUSSED

And It is Expected That All of the Churches Will Be for It—Will Be Like a Y. M. C. A.

At a banquet of the Men's Brotherhood at the First M. E. Church Thursday evening, a movement was started toward the building of a union church club building and all seem to be enthusiastically in favor of it. A committee with Rev. Gilbert S. Cox as chairman, was appointed to confer with the other protestant churches of the city in regard to the movement.

The club building would be exactly in the nature of the Y. M. C. A. buildings, only that the control of the building would be in the hands of the local churches. There would be the gymnasium feature, reading room and other club features for all of the young men and also young women of the city. Such a building is needed here and it looks as if it will be successful.

The other churches are also in favor of the movement and will, no doubt, join with their Methodist brethren in promoting the club.

There were 52 in attendance at the banquet of the brotherhood Thursday night which was served by the young ladies of the church in the basement of the Methodist church. Twelve new members were initiated. M. E. Ford, assistant prosecuting attorney, and one of the new members taken in, gave an excellent talk, speaking of the relation of the men of the church to the community.

### PAY YOUR UNCLE SAM SOON.

Income Tax Return Blanks Are Being Sent Out Now.

Before March 1 every corporation, bank, financial institution and individual in the sixty-one counties of western Missouri, Nodaway county being one of the counties, subject to the income tax must make a return to Charles G. Burton, United States collector of internal revenue at Kansas City, or be subject to arrest. After March 1 every person and corporation that has failed to make a return will be prosecuted under the provisions of the income tax law. Failure to receive a blank from the collector will be no excuse for failing to make a return.

Collector Burton will try and reach everyone with the proper blank, but as this is the first year of the operation of the new income tax law it will be impossible to reach everyone with a blank unless each person in the district subject to the tax sends Mr. Burton his name and address.

Collector Burton has received from the government and sent out 350 blanks to corporations and banks in his district. But there are 1,500 such corporations in his district. He will send more blanks as soon as he receives them. He has also sent blanks to three hundred public utility corporations in his district. But he has not sent a blank to any individual, because he has not yet received any from the government. As soon as they come he will begin mailing them out. In the meantime he requests all individuals subject to the tax to send him his name and address.

### Elects Directors.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Northwestern bank was held Tuesday. The same officers and board of directors were re-elected for the ensuing year. The officers are T. A. Corken, president; E. Fast, vice president, and R. N. Barber, cashier. The directors are C. A. and E. C. Wolfers, C. D. Nicholas, R. N. Barber, P. Cummins, T. A. Corken and E. Fast.—Burlington Junction Post.

### Washed the Streets.

Street Commissioner M. I. Woods and his street gang washed the streets in the business section of the city on Tuesday evening by flushing the hydrants. The fire hose was used. The streets presented a clean appearance Friday morning. It is thought that they will be washed every week or so during the summer months.

### Home From Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. George Robert Eaton of South Buchanan street have returned from a delightful three weeks' vacation trip to St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mrs. James B. Robinson went to St. Joseph Friday morning for a day's visit with her sister, Mrs. C. M. Chilton.

## BIG MISSIONARY CONFERENCE.

Will Be Held in Maryville on January 27 and 28—All Churches Are Back of It.

A big missionary campaign conference will be held in Maryville at the First M. E. church on Tuesday and Wednesday, January 27 and 28, and speakers of national reputation will be here. It is not known at this time who they will be. The campaign conference is promoted by a committee from the home and foreign mission boards of the churches of North America.

The object of the conference is three fold. First, to emphasize the fundamental need of prayer, Bible study and personal Christian service. Second, to prepare the churches of the whole country for a nation-wide canvass, to circulate literature, promote mission study. Third, to place the whole of the benevolent enterprises of the church before the people, to initiate an annual every member canvass for a systematic and proportionate giving in the local church and to promote more adequate Christian stewardship propaganda. The program will follow these main outlines of this purpose and the subjects will be discussed by leading ministers and laymen of the country.

An invitation will be extended to each pastor and also two laymen of all the Protestant churches in Nodaway and Atchison counties to attend this conference. One of the features of the meeting will be the big banquet to be given at the First M. E. church. Every Protestant church in the city is back of the campaign conference, and it is expected that many visitors will be here.

### WIGGLING CURES DEAF EARS.

A Doctor Finds Exercise Will Build Up the Hearing.

Massage and exercise, at various times, have been advocated as a panacea for many and divers ills. Fernet now proposes the idea that by exercise we may be able to influence favorably the encroaching deafness of the elderly, or that following otitis media.

He remarks that children can often move the ears and part of the scalp voluntarily, and some may become quite exceptional in this faculty.

Fernet believes that, through exercise, adults will be able to produce such movements. He has devised three series of exercises, as follows: The first consists of grimaces of the face, contracting in turn the muscles of the lips, nostrils and eyelids, aiming ultimately to reach the ear; next the frontal and occipital muscles are contracted alternately and then the muscles above and behind and in front of the ear. The muscles of the eustachian tube are then exercised by directions which he gives fully.

He says: "Medical men, knowing the anatomy of the parts, can train their muscles very effectively in this way. Others need an instructor to show them." Just what the ultimate outcome of this proposal will be is questionable. We may picture to ourselves tentatively a future period when all around us will be visible a series of grimacing, ear wiggling elderly men and women in the act of improving their ears and warding off the encroaching deafness of old age. "Physicians, particularly," says Fernet, "need good hearing, and rather than accepting deafness with the fatalism of the Oriental they should rise up and fight it." If it is to be combated by this method, the word "fight" is a very appropriate one.—Journal of the American Medical Association.

### Sunday at First M. E. Church

Sunday morning service at 10:45 with sermon by the pastor, Rev. Gilbert S. Cox on "The Silence of Jesus." Anthem by choir, "Lead Us Heavenly Father," by Schaefer. Rev. W. B. Christy, presiding elder, will preach in the evening. The anthem of the choir will be "More Love to Thee, O Christ," by Reed. Misses Izora and Janette Mutz and Nellie Wray will give a trio "Twilight," by Abt.

### To Leave Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCommon will leave Saturday morning for a visit at Kansas City and at points in Oklahoma. They intend to also spend part of the winter at Corpus Christi, Texas.

### Called by Mother's Illness.

Miss Florence Pugh went to Guilford Friday, called by the illness of her mother, Mrs. J. T. Pugh, who was taken very ill Thursday of acute appendicitis.

### Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark R. Scott, living west of Maryville, announce the birth of a ten-pound daughter Sunday, January 4. She has been named Virginia May.

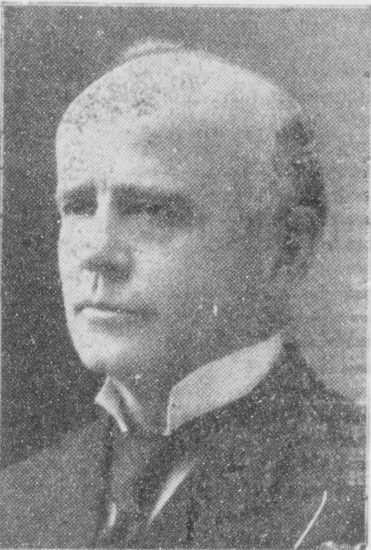
## SERIES OF TALKS

ON THE RELIGION OF THE FUTURE TO BE GIVEN.

## AT FIRST M. E. CHURCH

By Dr. John P. D. John—The Lectures Will Be Free and Public Is Cordially Invited.

A series of addresses and sermons on some fundamentals concerning Jesus Christ will be given by Dr. John P. D. John, former president of DePauw university of Indiana, in Maryville, at the First M. E. church, commencing Tuesday evening, January 20. The lectures will be free and all are invited.



DR. JOHN P. D. JOHN.

to come. Dr. John was secured to come here by the Men's Brotherhood of the First M. E. church.

Dr. John is a noted lecturer and everyone should hear these talks of his. He will discuss the religion of the future, and is Christianity going or coming and can the Bible stand the twentieth century searchlight? He has been in Maryville before and was well received then.

On Friday evening, January 23, Dr. John will give the commencement address to the graduating class of the Maryville high school at the high school auditorium. His subject will be "What Next?"

The subjects of his talks in Maryville follows:

Tuesday evening, January 20, at 7:30 p. m.—"The Christ of the Miracle."

Wednesday evening, January 21, at 7:30 p. m.—"The Christ of the Incarnation."

Thursday evening, January 22, at 7:30—"The Christ of the Jordan and the Wilderness."

Friday afternoon, January 23, at 3 o'clock—"The Christ of the People."

Saturday evening, January 24, at 7:30—"The Christ of the Final Word."

Sunday morning, January 25, at 10:30—"The Christ of Mr. Hermon."

Sunday afternoon at 3:00—"Backbone; How to Get It and How to Keep It." This will be a men's meeting.

Sunday evening—"The Christ of Mt. Calvary."

### To Open January 15.

The Citizens State bank of Elmo, which was recently organized, will open for business on Thursday, January 15.

### To Give Concert in Savannah.

Rev. Gilbert S. Cox of this city and Adolph Bock of St. Joseph will give a concert on Monday evening, January 12, at the Methodist Episcopal church in Savannah.

### Taken to Rochester.

Mrs. Grant Hartness of Burlington Junction, who was a patient in St. Francis hospital of this city, was today taken to Rochester, Minn., for treatment.

### New Principal at Clearmont.

The Clearmont school board, the latter part of last week, secured Prof. W. H. VanVickle of Craig, as principal of the schools in place of Prof. Cummings, who resigned. He arrived last Saturday and Monday began his duties.

Mrs. George McKnight and daughter of Burlington Junction arrived Friday for a few days' visit with friends. They are guests at the home of Dr. J. W. Dean.

Mrs. George B. McArthur of Pickering returned home Friday from a two days' visit with Mrs. Anna Snyder.

## ON THE INCUBATOR

E. L. ANDREWS IN THE MISSOURI FARMER GIVES ADVICE.

## LOOK MACHINE OVER

If It Needs Repairs Now is the Time to Order—See That You Are Protected From Loss.

E. L. Andrews of this city, in writing to the Missouri Farmer on the care of incubators, says:

Artificial incubation of chickens is playing an important part in chicken-dom. Nearly every one who is interested in the poultry business has an incubator of some kind or wants one. Now is a good time to look your machines over and see that all parts are in working order and ready for spring use. I have known some that use hot water machines to be so thoughtless as to leave the water in the tanks from one season to the next, which will hurt it more than a season's use. If you need a new thermometer, thermostat lamp, burner or any other fixture about the machine to make it work properly, order it now while you have the time and the other man has plenty of time to fill the order. Put new burlaps on the trays and new wicks in the lamps. Then when your wife is ready to set the machine she will say what a thoughtful husband I have; I will repay him with plenty of fried chicken and hen fruit. A great many people run an incubator in some room of the house. You know this is a very common practice. If you have a fire and burn your house and contents caused by the use of the imperfect machine or carelessly leaving the lamp turned too high, you would receive no insurance—unless you had been thoughtful enough to have had the permission clause for its use attached to your policy. However, some machines have the Underwriters label on them. If your machine has not this label on it, it would be a wise thing to see your insurance agent and have your policy properly fixed before any loss occurs. This applies to heated brooders as well as incubators. The charge for an incubator not bearing the label is about 25 cents a year for each hundred dollars of insurance.

A house in my neighborhood burned entirely up, caused by an incubator lamp. A little attention on your part and save a loss.

"Mr. Christy," said the teacher of the class in rhetoric, "point out the absurdity in this figure of speech: 'At this time the illustrious statesman hatched out a scheme.'"

"It seems all right to me," said the young man, after a few moments' reflection.

"It does? Explain, if you please, how he could have 'hatched out a scheme.'"

"Well, he might have his mind set on it," returned the student placidly.

Moral—Have your mind on the incubator at the proper time.

### Her Visitors to California.

Mrs. Floyd Westfall returned to her home in Barnard Thursday evening after a two days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Baker. Mrs. Westfall's sister, Mrs. Wayland Wood, and children, who came to visit her two months ago, also with Mr. and Mrs. Baker here, have gone to Santa Ana, Cal., to join Mr. Wood. They have been living near Knoxville, Mont., for several years, Mr. Wood having acquired large land interests there. They have changed their residence to California for the benefit of their health. Mr. Wood made the trip to California from Montana in his car. He was held up in Denver for three weeks by the great storm and was hindered all the way out by bad weather conditions.

### Perfect Title Suit.

A suit filed Friday in Circuit Clerk Rathbun's office was that of Ida A. J. Beedle et al. vs. Julia Ann Stingley et al. It was a perfect title suit. Shlabargar, Blagg & Ellison are the attorneys for the plaintiffs.

Mrs. Charles Heekin and son of St. Joseph returned home Thursday evening from a visit since Christmas with her brothers, John and Will Hansen, and their families. She was accompanied home by Mrs. John Hansen and sons who will spend several days with her.

Miss Jennie Sturm went to Clyde Thursday to visit Miss Nora Ellerman.

W. B. Frost went to Conception Junction Friday on business.

### EXTENDED A CALL.

Rev. S. F. Spainhower of This City to Be Pastor of the Elmo Christian Church.

Rev. S. F. Spainhower of this city has been extended a call to become pastor of the Christian church at Elmo. The call was made last Sunday and was unanimous on the part of the congregation of that church.

### SOLD HIS RESIDENCE.

Dr. J. W. Dean Disposed of His Property on North Main Street to C. G. McMillen.

Dr. J. W. Dean sold his residence property on North Main street to C. G. McMillen of Pickering and possession will be given about the first of February.

Dr. Dean is to leave Maryville about the first of the month for Glencoe, Payne county, Okla., where he will reside. He has a large farm there and will live on the farm.

### IOWA MEN IN POLICE COURT.

All Charged With Being Drunk—Were Arrested at the Burlington Station.

A party of men composed of George Beck of Lenox, H. P. Dougherty of Bedford, W. J. Taylor of Bedford and Joseph Marshall, colored, of Sharpsburg, were arrested Thursday evening at the Burlington station as they were starting to take the train. They were all charged with being drunk, and Friday morning before Mayor Robey pleaded guilty to that charge. Each one was fined \$2 and costs and they all paid.

Another case in police court was that of Henry Campbell, charged with drunkenness. He was fined \$2 and costs.

### SCRAMBLE FOR STATE OFFICES.

With Republican Party Split the Democrats Confident of an "Old Time" Victory.

The next state campaign promises to be the most exciting held in Missouri since the "good old days" when the state gave Democracy forty to sixty thousand majority. The fact that the Republicans are divided means that the Democrats will make a clean sweep of the state, accordingly the number of prospective and actual candidates continues to grow.

Owing to the fact that candidates are nominated by a state-wide primary the big politicians are getting busy early in the game.

There are ten changes in the general election laws of Missouri which will be in force and will apply at the general election in November. Some of these changes are of vital importance, the chief one being the "nonfusion" provision and the "blanket" ballot instead of the "ribbon blanket." The date for holding the state conventions has been changed from the second Tuesday in September to the fourth Tuesday in August, and the convention may be at any point in the state selected by the state committee of each party. Heretofore the conventions have been in Jefferson City under a provision of the law requiring all conventions to be at the state capital.

## Communication

Editor Democrat-Forum: I was interested in an item in your daily of the 8th regarding re-location move of Mr. H. T. Crane, but your historian is off on an important fact.

To my personal knowledge Mr. Crane has been in business in this city forty-seven years. His first location was not the Sisson lot, where he is soon to locate, but further south. I think on the third lot north of the alley or where Mr. Parle is now located.

As a jobber in his line of business at the time, I sold Mr. Crane goods in the summer and fall of 1866.

Mr. Crane has almost reached the half century point as a continuous Maryville business man.

IRA K. ALDERMAN.

January 9, 1914.

### Death of a Little Child.

The 2-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Newcomer of near Guilford died Thursday evening at 7 o'clock of pneumonia and erysipelas. The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the M. E. church, South, in Guilford, conducted by Rev. C. O. Ransford. Burial will be in Wetherman cemetery.

Miss Myrtle Wilson of St. Joseph, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harold VanSteenbergh for several weeks, returned home Thursday evening.

## HERE FOR CONCERT

MARTIN MIESSLER TO GIVE PROGRAM TONIGHT.

## FORMER MARYVILLE BOY

Connected With the Conservatory Here a Few Years Ago—Now at Pittsburg, Pa.

Martin Miessler, the distinguished young pianist who will give this Friday evening's lyceum course number at the First M. E. church, gave several piano numbers at assembly hour at the Normal Friday morning, upon invitation from President Richardson.

Mr. Miessler is among his friends while in Maryville, and is enjoying meeting his old friends and pupils. He is the guest of Mr. P. O. Landon of the Maryville Conservatory, who "discovered him" a few years ago, and brought out his talent for music as a performer and teacher. Mr. Miessler, while in his early teens, heard Mr. Landon play in concert at Carlinville, Ill., on his return from study in Germany and was completely taken with the man and his music. His father was pastor of the Lutheran church at Carlinville, and Mr. Landon's home was at Jerseyville, a short distance away, and it was not long until the boy began studying with the young man just back from Germany, and when he came to Maryville a short time after to open a Conservatory he followed him here and commenced his musical studies. Mr. Landon saw that the boy had great talent and urged and encouraged him in every way possible, and in 1906 sent him to Germany for a year's study. He came back and assisted Mr. Landon a year at the Conservatory, and in 1908 a great farewell concert was given him at the Empire theater to see him off a second time for study at Berlin and Leipzig. The concert was a regular ovation, and the young musician was made to realize his talent more than ever before and the appreciation of Maryville people. He stayed away two years, and on his return settled in the east, at Pittsburg, Pa., and opened a studio, where he is very successfully engaged in teaching.

Mr. Landon is very proud of Mr. Miessler's success, and he will without doubt receive good recognition tonight at the First M. E. church, in appreciation of his pupil's success. Mr. Landon sees much development in Mr. Miessler's playing and is waiting with evident pleasure the reception he is sure Maryville people will give him.

### NEW CASE OF DIPHTHERIA.

Skidmore Has Nine Cases, Six in One Family—Every Precaution Being Taken.

Skidmore has one more case of diphtheria Friday morning which makes nine in the town. Every precaution is being taken to prevent the spread of the disease, and the school will remain closed until all danger is past. There are six cases in the family of James Colwell, none of whom are considered critical. Two children of Mr. and Mrs. James Parrish of Skidmore have the disease, the oldest, Bertha, 16 years old, being sick of the disease at the home of Elmer Owens, in the country near Skidmore. She is considered in a dangerous condition. The quarantine over the home of Wm. Devers was raised Thursday.

### Death of a Relative.

Mrs. E. G. Orear received word Friday of the death of her uncle, Col. John Conover, whose death occurred late Thursday evening at his home in Kansas City. Mr. Conover was vice president of the Richards & Conover Hardware company of Kansas City. The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon.

### Machinery for Water Works.

The machinery for the Hopkins water plant arrived Friday and is being unloaded. If the weather will permit work on laying the mains will be commenced Monday. The engine was unloaded early Friday afternoon.

Miss Orva Alsbaugh went to Chillicothe Friday to visit Miss Ola Sanders.

Mrs. James Donnelly of Conception Junction was a shopper in the city Friday.

## THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Saturday; colder tonight; moderate northwest winds.



# D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

**W**ILL start tomorrow morning a **HALF PRICE SALE** on all Ladies, Misses and Childrens Coats Furs and Sweaters. We will soon take our inventory, and we desire to reduce our stock as low as possible by that time. Our present stock of coats include the following prices.

## Ladies Coats

\$ 8.00 Coats for.....	\$ 4.00	\$22.00 Coats for.....	\$11.00
\$10.00 Coats for.....	\$ 5.00	\$22.50 Coats for.....	\$11.25
\$15.00 Coats for.....	\$ 7.50	\$25.00 Coats for.....	\$12.50
\$18.50 Coats for.....	\$ 9.25	\$28.50 Coats for.....	\$14.25
\$20.00 Coats for.....	\$10.00	\$30.00 Coats for.....	\$15.00
		\$35.00 Coats for.....	\$17.50

## Infants Coats

The price range is from \$2.00 to \$8.00. These all go at **Half Price**.

## Misses and Junior Coats

A good range of prices and styles to choose from. These all go at **Half Price**.

**FLEECE DRESSING SACQUES.**  
\$1.00 values .....65c  
50c values .....32c

### RAINCOATS.

\$20.00 Coats .....\$15.00

\$18.50 Coats .....	\$13.50
\$17.50 Coats .....	\$12.50
\$15.00 Coats .....	\$10.00
\$12.50 Coats .....	\$9.00
\$10.00 Coats .....	\$7.50

## LADIES, MISSES, CHILDRENS DRESSES REDUCED

\$25.00 Dresses for .....	\$17.50	\$12.50 Dresses for .....	\$7.50	\$5.00 Dresses for .....	\$3.50
\$20.00 Dresses for .....	\$14.00	\$10.00 Dresses for .....	\$6.50	\$4.50 Dresses for .....	\$3.00
\$18.50 Dresses for .....	\$12.00	\$8.50 Dresses for .....	\$5.00	\$4.00 Dresses for .....	\$2.50
\$17.50 Dresses for .....	\$11.50	\$7.50 Dresses for .....	\$4.50	\$3.50 Dresses for .....	\$2.25
\$16.50 and \$15.00 Dresses for...	\$10.00	\$6.50 Dresses for .....	\$4.00	\$3.00 Dresses for .....	\$2.00

## DO NOT FORGET THAT OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF FURS ARE HALF PRICE

### PULLMAN SLIPPERS.

\$1.50 grade .....	\$1.00
\$1.00 grade .....	.75c

### KNITTED MUFFLERS.

50c values for .....	.35c
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### LADIES' KID GLOVES.

16-button lengths, \$3.50 values...	\$2.75
16-button lengths, \$3.00 values...	\$2.35
Short Kid Gloves, \$1.50 values...	\$1.32
Short Kid Gloves, \$1.15 values...	.90c

### SILK GLOVES.

16-button lengths, \$1.50 values...	\$1.25
16-button lengths, \$1.00 values...	.85c
Ladies' Golf Gloves, 50c value....	.85c

Ladies' Reindeer Finish Gloves, \$1.00 value .....	.65c
Ladies' Fabric Gloves, unlined and silk lined, 50c value .....	.35c
Children's 25c Mittens for.....	.20c

## Our Staple Department Offers Exceptional Values

All Comforts reduced ONE-FOURTH.  
Eden Cloths, 15c value for.....10c  
10-4 Bleached Sheetings.....26c  
9-4 Bleached Sheetings.....24c  
10-4 Unbleached Sheetings.....24c  
9-4 Unbleached Sheetings.....21c  
45-inch Pillow Tubings.....16c

42-inch Pillow Tubings.....15c  
36-inch Pillow Tubings.....13c  
12½c Outing Flannels.....10c  
10c Outing Flannels.....8c  
3-lb Cotton Batts, worth 85c, for...72c  
Silkolines, 36 inches wide.....11c

## All Winter Underwear Will Sell at the Following Prices

\$3.00 values for .....	\$2.40
\$2.50 values for .....	\$2.00
\$2.00 values for .....	\$1.60
\$1.50 values for .....	\$1.20
\$1.25 values for .....	\$1.00
\$1.00 values for .....	.85c
.85c values for .....	.69c
.75c values for .....	.59c

70c values for .....	.55c
65c values for .....	.50c
60c values for .....	.45c
50c values for .....	.40c
40c values for .....	.32c
35c values for .....	.25c
25c values for .....	.19c

Owing to the extremely low prices we are quoting in this advertisement all goods sold at these prices will be strictly cash.

## Ladies Leather Bags-Mesh Purses and Vanities

\$5.50 values .....	\$4.98	\$2.50 values .....	\$1.79
\$5.00 values .....	\$3.98	\$2.00 values .....	\$1.59
\$4.50 values .....	\$3.50	\$1.50 values .....	\$1.20
\$4.00 values .....	\$2.98	\$1.25 values .....	\$1.05
\$3.50 values .....	\$2.50	\$1.00 values .....	.84c
\$3.00 values .....	\$1.95	.50c values .....	.25c
		.25c values .....	.15c

*All Ladies Neckwear Reduced ONE FOURTH*

Men's and Boy's winter underwear we desire to close out. Please take note of the above prices. They apply to Men's and Boy's Garments as well as Ladies' and Childrens.

## The Democrat-Forum

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

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## Largest Circulation in Nodaway County

### When the Seamstress Comes.

Employing a seamstress may be a mother's greatest economy or greatest extravagance, not only according to the demands on her own time and strength, but also in proportion to her good management of the seamstress' working day and previous preparation for her work.

Make sure, before you engage a seamstress, that the work you propose to put in her hands is worthy of her hire. If you are employing an expensive dressmaker at \$2 or \$3 a day, do not give her work that a \$1.50 woman could do just as well. Do that part yourself, or hire the lower priced worker, reserving the skilled woman for cutting and fitting that you could get in no other way.

There is no doubt that home sewing produces garments superior in fit, finish and durability to those bought ready-made. Whether the actual labor of making them is accomplished by the

mother or a substitute, the result is the same. The additional expense of hiring a seamstress must be carefully considered; it may be that the cost is a small price to pay for quiet nerves, a fresh, dinner smile for father, and a smooth temper. Or, it may mean that one is a little tempted to unnecessary laziness or lavishness. Each mother must decide this question for herself. But above all things have the work for your seamstress planned in advance.—McCall's Magazine.

### How to Look at Paintings.

I should recommend you to go through a picture gallery as one seeking the face of a friend in a crowd, and to let yourselves be led on by your sympathies. If you admire the work of a man, find out all you can, especially his beginnings.

In our times a distinction is made between painting which is decorative and painting which is pictorial, which is, I think, an unfortunate distinction, and one which should not exist; for all pictures should decorate the walls or places on which they are placed. That this distinction should exist is perhaps our own fault in forgetting, as we do sometimes, that a picture should be agreeable to the eye in its color and masses; the good old painters never forgot that.

It seems to me that taste in a picture is something like natural good manners in man; not depending on the elements—the clothes—of the picture, but on the temperament it displays, and the measure of its harmony with our acknowledged standards; for a man's picture reveals his outlook on the world, and is in that sense a part of him. If we choose a person for a friend, we like him, let us say, to be simple and natural, reliable and without swagger. Whether he is rich or poor, grave or gay, does not matter so long as we can depend on him. And it seems to me that a picture, to be in good taste, must have analogous qual-

ities—that it should, like our ideal friend, be in accord with the best standards; it should be in harmony with the best we know.—From "Royal Academy Lectures on Painting," by George Clausen, R. A., R. W. S.

### LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

<b>CHICAGO.</b>	
Cattle—2,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 300.	
Hogs—20,000. Market 5@10c higher; top, \$8.40. Estimate tomorrow, 1,500.	
Sheep—12,000. Market slow.	
<b>KANSAS CITY.</b>	
Cattle—1,500. Market steady.	
Hogs—3,500. Market 5c higher; top, \$8.15.	
Sheep—4,000. Market steady.	
<b>ST. JOSEPH.</b>	
Cattle—250. Market steady.	
Hogs—4,500. Market 5c higher; top, \$8.10.	
Sheep—2,000. Market steady.	

Mrs. T. F. Reiner went to Stanberry Friday for a day's visit.

Miss Bertha Schmauder of Burlington Junction is the guest of Miss Ella Noll.



We have many difficult cases of eye troubles to deal with—optical defects—that only glasses will relieve. You may have had other glasses that did not suit you, and been thoroughly disgusted with them, but that is no reason why you shouldn't take time to get glasses that are worth while. Not any glasses, but ones that are exactly suited to your eyes. Our examinations are thorough and accurate. When will you call?

**H. T. CRANE**  
Jeweler and Optician.

### SEVERE BRONCHIAL COUGH.

Doctors Feared Lung Trouble, Restored to Health by Vinol.

The medical profession does not believe that lung troubles are inherited, but a person may inherit a weakness or tendency to them.

Mrs. Kate Heckman, Springfield, O., says: "A few years ago I was in a very bad run-down condition, and the physician told me I had consumption. I tried another physician, and he told me I had ulcers on my right lung. I quit the physicians and started on 'Vinol.' Today I am perfectly healthy, and that is why I recommend 'Vinol.'"

Vinol soothes and heals the inflamed surfaces and allays the cough, Vinol creates an appetite, strengthens the digestive organs and gives the patient strength to throw off incipient pulmonary diseases.

Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you.—Orean-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

### Skidmore Editor in the City.

Dan R. Baker, editor of the Skidmore New Era, was in the city Friday on business.

### Big show tonight—Fern.

The W. F. M. S. of the First M. E. church will hold a market Saturday at the Price-McNeal store.

Mrs. John Jones and son left Friday morning for Peabody, Kan., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egley and son left Friday morning for a few days' visit with Mr. Egley's sister, Mrs. Novia Lowe of St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Winslow and son of Conception Junction were shopping in Maryville Thursday.

### A Peculiar Accident.

F. C. Newlon, of Clearmont, met with quite a peculiar accident last Monday evening. He had gone down to Burlington Junction in his auto, and when he went to start home he had put some water in the radiator, getting a bucket at the garage and after pouring in the water struck a match to look and see how near it was full, and as he was looking in the radiator there was a flash and an explosion from the radiator, the flames going into his face, burning his eyebrows and eyelashes off, also burning his face quite badly, and his face and eyes have been so badly swollen that Fred has been groping his way around about the same as a blind man ever since. Fortunately the sight of his eyes escaped serious injury.

The bucket that Fred got was one that had been used for gasoline and

the explosion is supposed to have been caused from there being enough gasoline in the bucket to have generated gas in the radiator to a sufficient amount to explode when the match was lighted and held over the mouth to see if there was sufficient water in it.—Clearmont News.

### Big show tonight—Fern.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Turner went to St. Joseph Friday morning. Mrs. Turner will remain for a week's visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Frank J. McCastin of Stanberry was in Maryville Friday morning on her way to Kansas City to visit relatives.

Get something for your Sunday dinner at market Saturday.

Saturday Only

Trimmed  
Hats

at 98c

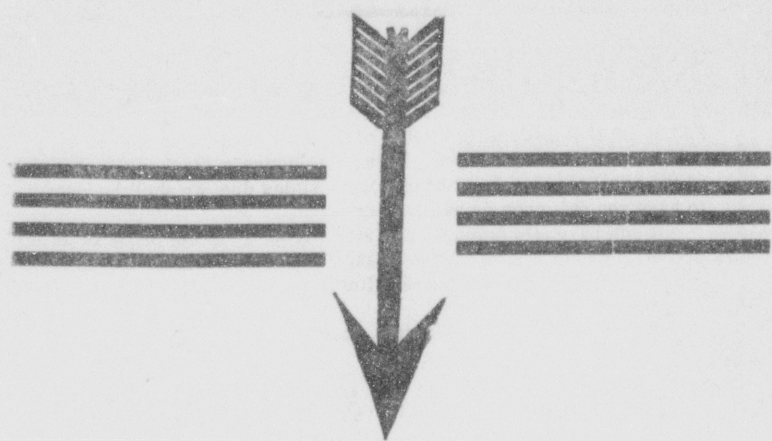
The Parisian Millinery

Maryville's Fashion Center

Phone 452







## Tomorrow The First Day of Our Annual January Clearance Sale

### The BIG Sale

**BIG** in quantities of merchandise offered—the most complete stocks in Maryville are concerned in this sale.

**BIG** in the reductions offered. Comparison will show, considering the quality of our merchandise and the fair prices at which they are always marked, that during this Clearance Sale the GENUINE reductions are the greatest of the year.

**BIG** in the spirit in which it is conducted. Prices marked in plain figures so that you can see the actual amount of reductions. Reduced prices on everything in the store except a few restricted price articles.

If Requested, Merchandise purchased during This Sale Will be Charged on  
The Regular March Bills

**Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.**  
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

#### DARK DAYS COMING

With the shortening of the hours of daylight the strain upon the eyes becomes greater with its consequent effect upon the vision.

#### Have your eyes examined NOW.

Those just bordering upon the time when they need glasses will do well to attend to it at once, while those already wearing them should see to it that they still fit as they ought to. Good eyesight can be fostered just as you can preserve anything else with proper care.

#### COME IN NOW

**Raines Brothers**  
JEWELERS & OPTICIANS  
104 N. 3rd St. - Next to 2nd Nat. Bank

Big show tonight—Fern.

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**L. E. DEAN, M. D.**  
SURGERY.

Internal medicine. Consultation and calls answered promptly. Office over Brink's grocery.

#### Collins & Williams

All kinds of harness repaired and oiled. See us for prices on new harness. Satisfaction Guaranteed. ARKOE, MISSOURI

#### REDUCTION SALE

**20% DISCOUNT on All Suits FOR FIFTEEN DAYS**

**DIETZ AND KECK**  
Up-To-Date Tailors

## TO-MORROW

Is the 10th of the month and the last day of discount on your electric light bills. Better hurry.

**Maryville Electric and Power Company**  
Empire Theatre Building  
Hanamo 21

## WOMAN TYPES THEIR THEME

Defective One "Very Slight, Thin-Chested and Nervous."

THAT IS FAVORITE OF FASHION

Speaker at Race Betterment Conference Thinks Perfect Specimen Fleshly Enough for Angles Rounded Out—Sterilization Urged.

Battle Creek, Mich., Jan. 9.—Dr. Richard Root Smith, in an address at the national conference on race betterment, said the perfect type of woman is "that represented by individuals compact in build, deep-chested, with steady nerves and fleshy enough for the anatomical angles to be nicely rounded out."

"The imperfect or defective type of woman is that represented by the very slight, thin-chested and nervous woman, at present so favored by fashion."

Dr. Smith added, however, that "we have no reason for believing that woman is worse off now than she has been for many generations."

The subject brought up for discussion by Dr. Laughlin of New York was sterilization. He urged this method of preventing the reproduction of degenerates and asserted that it had met with success in many prisons and elsewhere.

On the basis of available statistics from civilized countries, Mr. Hoffman estimated the world's birth rate at 34.3 per 1,000 and the death rate at 25.0, leaving an annual rate of increase of 9.3 for each 1,000 of population.

"The present rate of natural increase," he said, "is certain to grow if the downward tendency of the death rate is further augmented by sanitary improvement, particularly in the case of uncivilized countries and primitive races."

#### DELAY AIDS FEDERALS

Every Hour Means Added Security to Defenders of Ojinaga.

Ojinaga, Mex., Jan. 9.—Returning to Ojinaga from a reconnoitering trip, ten miles inland, General Pascual Orozco, commander of federal volunteers, said he had encountered the outposts of the rebel army.

The rebels were believed to be concentrating under the personal direction of General Francisco Villa, to present a solid front when they again march on Ojinaga. The situation was such that the rebel attack might begin momentarily or be further delayed.

All of the nine generals who remain in the trenches here with the 4,000 Huerta soldiers, said every hour of delay gave them opportunity to prepare resistance and General Villa would have had greatly to increase the rebel force to repeat the six days' battle of last week, when the rebels reached within 400 yards of the Ojinaga trenches without being able to take them.

#### HELD FOR MISUSE OF MAILS

Alleged Jobbers Charged With Swindling Wholesalers.

Philadelphia, Jan. 9.—On a charge of having used the mails to defraud wholesale merchandise dealers and manufacturers out of many thousands of dollars, Charles L. Greenfield, Samuel Brown and Myer Rotman of this city were held in heavy bail by a United States commissioner for a further hearing on Jan. 19.

According to the postal inspectors the accused men established the Great Western jobbing house in St. Louis and also established a store in East St. Louis. Then they had many thousands of dollars' worth of goods shipped to them from wholesalers and manufacturers.

The goods were secretly shipped away, according to the postal authorities, and the men failed to pay for them, with the result that they were forced into bankruptcy.

George J. Weber, Inventor, Is Dead.

Kansas City, Jan. 9.—George J. Weber, inventor of a number of engine appliances and formerly president of a large manufacturing company, is dead at his home here of injuries received four months ago while at work in his laboratory on a new type of gas engine.

Sayres in Paris.

Paris, Jan. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bowes Sayre, who have been the guests of Walter H. Page, the American ambassador to London, and Mrs. Page, arrived here. They drove to the American embassy, where they will be the guests of Ambassador and Mrs. Myron T. Herrick.

Died in Colorado.

Mrs. A. L. Whitford of Denver, Col., died at her home in that city Thursday night. Mrs. Whitford and her husband went to Denver from Guilford several years ago. Her body will be brought to Guilford for burial some time Sunday.

Big show tonight—Fern.

**THE N. W. MUTUAL LIFE**  
Insurance Co. of Milwaukee.

## News of Society and Womens' Clubs

#### Comfort Tackling.

Mrs. C. E. Harvey entertained some friends at a comfort tackling Wednesday. She was assisted in serving dinner by Mrs. B. H. Shannon and Mrs. Frank Maxon. They completed four comforts and all enjoyed a jolly good time. Those present were Mrs. Amanda Pistole, Mrs. J. M. Craven, Mrs. Robinson Craven of Maryville, Mrs. Pearl Runnels, Mrs. Milo Torrey, Mrs. Ira Sharr, Miss Pearl Craven, Mrs. B. H. Shannon and Mrs. Frank Maxon.

#### Studied About China.

Mrs. Gallatin Craig entertained the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church at her home Thursday afternoon. The devotional service was led by Mrs. G. H. Colbert. A paper on China was read by Mrs. George Richard Eaton, and Mrs. W. J. Staples gave a talk on "The Spiritual and Business Side of Missions." An interesting discussion by all followed. During the social hour Mrs. Charles Jackson, Mrs. J. F. Colby and Miss Jessie Parcher served.

#### Penelope Club Party.

The members of the Penelope club gave a party to its husbands and a few friends Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Braniger. Dominoes were played during the evening, and a most palatable luncheon served by the hostess, who was assisted by Mrs. Byron Frost, Mrs. J. D. Ford, Mrs. J. P. Price, Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mrs. John Herron and Mrs. Harold VanSteenbergh. This was one more of the enjoyable parties to be listed by this club, who are making themselves famous for the way they entertain their husbands every now and then. The Braniger home was made more than usually attractive in the decorative arrangement of blooming plants and

## MOTHER! THE CHILD IS COSTIVE, BILIOUS

Don't Hesitate! A Laxative is Necessary if Tongue is Coated, Breath Bad or Stomach Sour.

Give "California Syrup of Figs" at once—a teaspoonful today often saves a sick child tomorrow.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, half-sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs;" then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Don't be fooled!—Advertisement.

ferns. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Costello, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. John Murrin, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Harold VanSteenbergh, Mr. and Mrs. John Herron, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holmes, Mrs. Omar Catterson, Mrs. N. F. Hopper, Mrs. Gallatin Craig, Mrs. J. M. Smith, Miss Nelle Conrad, G. A. VanSteenbergh, Harry Snyder, Dr. and Mrs. Leslie Dean, Dr. Earl Braniger.

#### Aid Society Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First M. E. church met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. George B. Baker and planned for their year's work. The ladies decided to hold their annual bazaar on November 19-20, 1914, which will be their eighteenth year. They will also give a banquet each month for the Brotherhood of the church. Committees were appointed in each ward to look after the sick and any who may need help and report all such to the pastor. During the social hour the hostess was assisted in serving by her sister, Mrs. E. F. Wolfert.

#### Installed Its Officers.

The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors, No. 333, was held Thursday afternoon in the Modern Woodman hall, when the following officers for the ensuing year were installed: Oracle, Mrs. J. H. Thorp; vice oracle, Mrs. Anthony Blue; past oracle, Mrs. E. E. Tilton; chancellor, Mrs. Fred Diss; recorder, Mrs. W. W. Stiwalt; receiver, Mrs. M. J. Lahr; marshal, Mrs. W. R. Tilton; assistant marshal, Mrs. Grace Masters; sentinel, Mrs. Harry Shipp; characters: Faith, Mrs. L. R. Zahn; Courage, Mrs. John Stundon; Unselfishness, Mrs. C. W. Alexander; Endurance, Mrs. Byron Christie; Modesty, Miss Emma Taylor. At the close of the business session a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served.

#### His Fifteenth Birthday.

A party was given to Alva Lett, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lett, five miles southeast of Pickering on Wednesday evening to celebrate his fifteenth birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games and amusing themselves in all kinds of enjoyment. Those present were Warren Gray and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Oliphant, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Miller and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Treed and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chance Copeland and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pistole, Mr. and Mrs. Alma Koger and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Gray, Mr. Tom Cummins and daughter, Mrs. Hood and family, Miss Lillie Lawson, Mr. Carnie Vantassel, Mr. Robert Liddell, Mrs. Estell Zanker. After serving pie and cake they all departed wishing him many more happy birthdays.

#### Surprised Gingrich Family.

Quite a number of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Gingrich, living northwest of Maryville, gathered at their home Thursday and gave a splendid basket dinner. Mr. Gingrich and his family will soon leave for their new home, Marfa, Texas, and their friends gathered to wish them well in their new home, although they keenly regret their departure from the neighborhood. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lige Grooms and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Lockhart and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Winell and children, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hall, Mrs. Maggie Cook, Mrs. Will Hobbs and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Richardson and son, all of Burlington Junction; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sochane and son, Mrs. Ida Duncan, Jennie Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crawford, Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. John Dooley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Moore and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brody, Frank Brody, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gingrich and son, Miss Florence Moore of Delhart, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Al Hefflin, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Gingrich, Miss Miranda Gingrich and Roy and Arlo Gingrich.

## CATARRH VICTIMS

Get Immediate and Effective Relief by Using Hyomel.

Hyomel is nature's true remedy for catarrh. There is no stomach dosing—you breathe it.

When using this treatment, you breathe healing balsams and effectively reach the most remote air cells of the throat, nose and lungs, the catarrhal germs are destroyed—quick and sure relief results.

Hyomel often restores health to chronic cases that had given up all hope of recovery. Its best action is at the start of the disease when the breath is becoming offensive, and constant sniffing, discharges from the nose, droppings in the throat, or that choked up feeling begin to make life a burden. At the first symptom of catarrhal trouble, surely use Hyomel. Ask the Orear-Henry Drug Co. for the complete outfit, \$1.00. He will refund the money if it does not give satisfaction.

H. T. CRANE

Will move his stock of Jewelry, Etc., from his present location to

**THE SISSON BUILDING,**

On North Main Street,  
On March 1, 1914.

## Fern To-night

7 8:20

Warner's Feature  
3 reels

**Treasure of Devil's  
Vale**

Better than Monte Cresto

**Trooper Billy**  
Another big special

**Pathe Weekly**

**Bull Fight-Dog Show**  
Expert swimmers, many other features

## Oakdale Percherons

I have a few High Class Young Stallions and Mares for sale from Weanlings to 5, year-olds. All recorded in Percheron Society of America. If you want a young stallion or a pair of young mares don't fail to visit **Oakdale Stock Farm.** Barns adjoining town.

**I. C. Roclofson**  
Barnard - Missouri  
Farmers Phone 52



Sample of Full-Blood Percheron's on Oakdale Stock Farm.



**4%  
ON  
SAVINGS  
DEPOSITS**

To those persons who do not desire a regular checking account or having special funds for deposit, we issue

### Certificates of Deposit.

They are negotiable by endorsement only, payable at a stated time bear 4 per cent interest if left one year.

**4%—INTEREST PAID—4%**

On Savings Accounts in Our Savings Department

**Nodaway Valley Bank, Maryville, Missouri**  
**THE OLDEST BANK IN THE COUNTY**

Capital and Surplus \$125,000.00 A Bank for Savings

## FARM LOANS

\$50,000.00

**FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS**

\$50,000.00

### To Loan on

**Nodaway County Improved Farms**

Rates Reasonable, Terms Reasonable, Liberal Payments. For Information Apply to

**JAMES B. ROBINSON**

At NODAWAY VALLEY BANK

Maryville, Missouri



### J. O. BOLIN AUCTIONEER

Office with R. E. Braniger, the seed and feed man, east side of square. All phones. Phone me for terms and dates at my expense. All business cheerfully attended to. Or can see W. F. Bolin for terms and dates.

**Your Sales Wanted  
NUFF SAID**

Mrs. A. Mercer went to Pickering for an afternoon visit with friends.

John Allen of Clyde was a city visitor Friday.

### Sneezing?

There's no need of it. Sniff a little Kondon's, the original and genuine Catarrhal Jelly, up the nostrils. Its soothing, healing properties quickly relieve you. Best thing for hay fever, colds, catarrh, sore throat, catarrhal headache, nose bleed, deafness, etc. Relieves the condition which causes sneezing. Sold only in 25c and 50c sanitary tubes by druggists or direct. Sample free. Write Kondon L. J. Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

**KONDON'S  
CATARRHAL JELLY**

**K. C. CUMMINS, M. D.**

**SURGERY and GENERAL PRACTICE**  
Office over First National bank  
Calls answered promptly day and night. All phones.

### Auto Livery Co.

Calls Answered  
Day or Night . . .

Closed cars for theatre and party calls, rain or shine  
Phones Hanamo 311; Mutual 180.

Homer W. Shipp  
Roy A. Yeaman

### FORM GOOD HABITS CLUB

Kansas Girls to Shun Young Men Who Are Naughty.

Dodge City, Kan., Jan. 9.—A Good Habits club, composed of young women who have taken a vow to decline the attentions of young men who swear, smoke, drink intoxicating liquors or gamble, was organized formally here with forty members.

A clause of the vow taken by the young women binds them not to attend any party or social gatherings to which any young man not meeting the club's requirements has been invited.

Plans for forming the club have been under way since the new year. An inkling of its purpose reached the ears of the young men. They have held one secret meeting, at which, it is said, the question of yielding to the demands of the girls was discussed.

Regina to Be Put Under Martial Law. Regina, Sask., Jan. 9.—Regina will be under martial law tonight, it was announced, because of the acute labor situation and threats of violence by leaders of an army of unemployed men. Superintendent McGibbon of the mounted police has dispatched a detachment to patrol the city. Threats were made in a letter to the police to burn the city. The unemployed men are said to be armed.

### CHAS. E. STILWELL ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.

Office over Maryville National Bank  
Maryville, Mo.

### For Sale—A Well Improved Farm

An 80-acre farm, one mile south of Maryville on the state road, 30 acres in wheat and timothy, 25 acres in pasture and meadow; orchard and small fruit. Can be bought for small payment down, balance five years time at 5 per cent, optional payments, if sold in the next thirty days.

Drs. Nash and Ryan

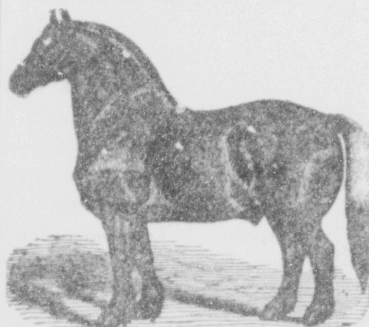
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### INSURANCE

Fire and Tornado

**THE Sisson Loan and Title Co.**

### Wanted--Horses



I WILL BE AT THE  
**STAR BARN**

**Saturday, January 10**

To buy Horses, Mares and Mules anything that is marketable. Bring in your Draft Horses and Chunks.

**Charles H. Roach**

### FIVE-MINUTE CURE IF STOMACH IS BAD

When "Pape's Diapepsin" Reaches Stomach All Indigestion, Gas and Sourness Disappears.

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmlessness; its certain, unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over.

Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, ferments and sours and forms gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eructations of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.—Advertisement.

Women Democrats End Session.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The Woman's National Democratic league closed its annual convention with the election of Mrs. William A. Cullop, wife of Representative Cullop of Indiana, to the presidency. No resolution was adopted urging legislation upon the party.

Mrs. Alice Beach Killed in Kalamazoo. Kalamazoo, Mich., Jan. 9.—The identity of the aged woman who was crushed beneath the wheels of a Lake Shore passenger train was established as Mrs. Alice Beach of Council Bluffs, Ia., by her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Webster of this city.

### "BOOKS"

Below is a list of a few of the new books to be found on our shelves:

The White Shield, by Myrtle Reed, \$1.50  
Richard Carvel, by Winston Churchill . . . . .50c  
The Marshal, by Mary R. S. Andrews . . . . .1.35  
Captain Becky's Masquerade, by M. L. Sanderson . . . . .50c  
The Fate of a Crown, by Staunton, 50c  
Pilgrims of the Plains, by Aplington . . . . .1.25  
The Twins of Suffering Creek, by Ridgewell Cullum . . . . .1.25  
The Career of Doctor Weaver, by Mrs. Henry Backus . . . . .1.00  
The Prodigal Judge, by Vaughan Kester . . . . .50c  
Annie Laurie and Azalea, by Beatrice . . . . .75c  
Games and Parties, by Carolyn Bailey . . . . .65c

### Hotckin's Variety Store



Printed on the front of every official time table which goes to Wabash employees are two large circles, "SAFETY ALWAYS." Printed on the back of every official time table are these words: "SAFETY should be the first consideration of every employee." It is a constant admonition to every Wabash trainman, for the protection of every Wabash traveler. Beginning with the human factor, the Wabash surrounds its safeguard known to modern railroadism: Steel equipment; automatic electric block signals; miles of double track; heavy rails and substantial roadbed; telephone dispatching, etc.

### Fresh Cut Roses

Carnations, Narcissus, Sweet Peas, Violets, Etc. Beautiful blooming Cyclamen, Azallias, Primroses, Boston Ferns and Asparagus Ferns. Visitors are welcome at all times to go through our establishment and see the flowers and plants growing.

**The Engelmann  
Greenhouses**

Phone 17. 1001 South Main St.

## \$100,000.00 To Lend

FARM LOANS made at low rates of interest with most liberal terms as to payments on principal. If you are buying a farm and need part of the purchase money, or have a loan coming due, we shall be pleased to have you call upon us and get our terms.

If you have idle funds we can invest it for you. No better or safer investment than a good first mortgage secured by Northwest Missouri farm land. Such an investment affords you no trouble. We attend to all collections.

Abstracts of Title, Real Estate, Insurance.

### The Sisson Loan & Title Company

Business Established 1865

All 'phones

Maryville

### Real Estate

We have 80 acres, 4½ miles from Maryville that can be bought for \$80 per acre.

130 acres, 7 miles out; can buy this farm for \$165 per acre.

160 acres, 6½ miles out; can buy this for \$90 per acre. Lays good.

172 acres, 3¼ miles from Barnard, first and second bottom. Price \$55 per acre.

We have some well improved farms in close to town we would show you if you wish to be closer to Maryville.

If you want residence property we have some good bargains on our list. Among these is the H. K. Taylor property at Fourth and Dunn.

Canada.

We are agents for Canada land and are in a position to give information regarding prices and location.

We have land ranging from \$12 to \$25 an acre, with small payments down and easy terms on balance. A wonderful chance for men with limited capital to get a home and be independent.

We have attractive rates to explain to anyone wishing to see these productive farm lands.

Life Insurance.

We have the district agency for the Equitable Life Insurance company of Iowa and would like to have a talk with you before you take out life insurance.

In the Equitable Life of Iowa you get as safe insurance as can be written at the lowest possible net cost to you.

Fire Insurance.

We represent three strong old line companies and would appreciate your fire and tornado insurance.

### The Rhodes Land Co.

222½ North Main,  
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

### THE N. W. MUTUAL LIFE

Insurance Co. of Milwaukee.

### WYOMING LANDS FOR SALE.

Samples of grain on exhibition at my office, with S. R. Lucas, 210 North Main street. I also have Nodaway county farms and Maryville city property for sale. J. W. RAY.

F. R. ANTHONY, M. D.

Specialist.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.  
Office hours 9 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m.

### Farm For Sale

The Wm. W. Andrews farm of 12½ acres has been placed in our hands for immediate sale. This farm is highly improved and equipped and all ready for the purchaser. Mr. Andrews has decided to retire on account of health and here is a fine opportunity for someone that wants a home close to town. Lying two miles from the city limits and the main highway. Splendid roads and a very desirable home.

A 9-room modern house, furnace heat, acetylene light, also a 2-room house, good brick cave, barn 40x60, granary 12x16, mill room with a No. 4 gasoline engine, engine room 8x12. Bowshe mill that will grind all kinds of grain. A 2-hole shelter, all in first class condition. Barn equipped with litter carrier, cement tank with cement platform 8 feet wide all around it. Stock can drink from fields. Farm fenced in ten fields and all underlaid with tile that cost about \$20 per acre. The land has been well cared for, being well matured each year and produces large crops and will be dry when other lands are wet. This farm has been used as a fine stock farm and will not only make a good home but would be an ideal dairy farm. Mr. Andrews will leave \$10,000 or less on the farm at 5½ per cent, or will take all the money or will make any fair contract to suit purchaser.

Also there is 15 acres of wheat in good shape, and it, with all the above articles, go with the place, and an early possession can be given.

For information as to price and terms see

**Holmes and Wolfert**  
Maryville, Mo.

## WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more, one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

SHOWCASES FOR SALE—in Good shape. See H. T. Crane. 9-11

FOR SALE—Nice lot in Oak Hill cemetery for \$25. Dr. J. W. Dean. 9

FOR SALE—Ithaca gun, almost new. Inquire room 3, Martin flats. 9-12

LOST—Female collie dog. Finder return to Mark Hannah and receive reward. 9

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FOR SALE—Alfalfa seed, reseeded, grown on my farm, two miles east of Maryville. Price, \$10 for 60 pounds net, sacks free. Elmer Fraser, Hanamo 734; Farmers 203.

FOR SALE—R. C. R. I. Red cockerels, Mammoth Brown turkeys, prize winning stock. Mrs. Fred Miller, Guilford, Mo. 8-14

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FOR RENT—Four rooms for light housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished. Furnace, water and lights. 211 South Main street. 3-9

FOR SALE—One good bay mare 5 years old, weight 1,150; one nearly new open buggy and single harness; one nearly new 6-hole cook stove, one milk cow, one 16-size heating stove, one kitchen cabinet with attachable safe, few other articles, such as bedsteads, sanitary couch, etc. Must sell at once. W. A. Harbison, two miles west of Pickering.

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The stock is open to investigation at any time and further particulars may be had by calling on or addressing either of the undersigned administrators.

**W. C. PIERCE, Maryville, Missouri**

**W. E. FREYTAG, Graham, Missouri**